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1 AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 4381

2 AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend House Bill 4381 by replacing
3 everything after the enacting clause with the following:

4 "Section 5. The Illinois Public Accounting Act is amended
5 by adding Section 30.9 as follows:

6 (225 ILCS 450/30.9 new)

7 Sec. 30.9. Tax return preparation task force. The
8 Department shall convene a task force consisting of 7 members,
9 one of whom shall be appointed by the Secretary and be a
10 representative of the Department; one of whom shall be
11 appointed by the Secretary and be a representative of a
12 statewide association representing CPAs; one of whom shall be
13 appointed by the Secretary and be an enrolled agent or
14 representative of the tax return preparation industry; one of
15 whom shall be appointed by the Speaker of the House of
16 Representatives; one of whom shall be appointed by the

1 President of the Senate; one of whom shall be appointed by the
2 Minority Leader of the House of Representatives; and one of
3 whom shall be appointed by the Minority Leader of the Senate.
4 The task force shall prepare a report that does the following:
5 determines the appropriate scope of a program for regulating
6 commercial tax return preparers; addresses the appropriate
7 qualifications, including, but not limited to, minimum
8 educational qualifications and continuing educational
9 requirements for commercial tax return preparers; and
10 considers any other matters the task force determines to be
11 necessary or appropriate. The task force shall meet no less
12 than 3 times before the end of the year in which this
13 amendatory Act of the 98th General Assembly becomes effective.
14 The report required under this Section shall be submitted by no
15 later than December 1, 2014 to the Secretary, the Governor, and
16 the General Assembly. Members of the task force shall receive
17 no compensation, but shall be reimbursed for expenses
18 necessarily incurred in the performance of their duties.

19 This Section is repealed on December 1, 2015.

20 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
21 becoming law."